



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Richard S. Chomik et al.  
Serial No.: 10/714,381  
For: Waste Storage Device  
Filed: November 6, 2003  
Examiner: James N. Smalley  
Art Unit: 3727  
Confirmation No.: 1816  
Customer No.: 27623 Attorney Docket No.: 460.2132USQ

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for extension of time for a total period of one (1) month. Based on the extension requested, the extended period for response will expire on March 27, 2006 (since March 26, 2006 falls on a Sunday).

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed with this Petition. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0467. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 27, 2006

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Sir:

We are enclosing the following:

1. Request for one month extension of time;
2. Check for \$120;
3. Transmittal letter in duplicate;
4. Postcard.

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I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Certificate No. **EV738212556US**, service under 37 CFR §1.10 and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on March 27, 2006.

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